IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 8, in its entirety.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 3, line 33, with the following amended paragraph:

The number and shape of the impeller blades 16 of the impellers 15 are specifically adapted for effectively displacing liquid, taking into account the available motor power and the transmission ratio of the drive structure 44. More specifically, to achieve a particularly strong pumping effect, the liquid impellers 15 according to the present example have spiral-shaped blades 16. The blades 16 are curved outwardly in a sense contrary to the sense of rotation (arrow 17) when the impellers are in operation. Furthermore, the interspaces between successive blades axially bounded in one direction by disc-shaped flanges of the rotors blades 16. In the opposite axial direction, walls of the shaving heads bound the portions of the interspaces radially outside entry ports 19. These features help to prevent or at least counteract a flow of liquid about axial edges of the blades 16 and supplied liquid.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 27, with the

following amended paragraph:

The location of the impellers 15 in the shaving heads 4 is advantageous for various reasons. Firstly, a compact construction is achieved, because the impellers 15 are accommodated in a free space in the shaving heads 4. Secondly, the location of the impellers 15 in the shaving heads 4 results in a very vigorous liquid flow in the shaving heads 4 towards the outer ring of the shaving heads 4, where caking of dirt tends to be most difficult to remove. Thirdly, the location in the shaving heads 4 is closely adjacent the cutters 3, so that it requires few additional measures to adapt the drive structure for driving the cutters 3 for also driving the impellers 515. According to the present example, the liquid displacement impellers 15 are each fixedly and directly connected to one of the cutters 3.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 25, with the following amended paragraph:

FIGS. 4 to 6 show a second shaver 101 according to the invention. In this shaver 101, the shaving head holder 110 is detachable from a hair chamber bowl portion 121 of the housing 102. The shaving heads 104 are of a design different from the shaving heads 4 of the shaver 1 shown in FIGS. 1 to 3. However, it is also possible to provide a shaver 102 101 as shown in FIGS. 4 to 6 with shaving heads identical or similar to the shaving heads 4 of the shaver 1 shown in FIGS. 1 to 3.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 28, with the following amended paragraph:

The liquid inlet port 119 of the shaver 101 according to FIGS.

4 to 6 is located at a side of the hair chamber 113 that faces in substantially the same direction as the direction in which the housing 102 projects most from the shaving head holder 110. This renders it possible for liquid, for example liquid pouring down from a tap, to flow into the hair chamber 113 (arrow 143113) while the shaver 101 is held in an orientation with the end of the shaver 101 where the shaving heads 104 are located held downward, so that

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no or very little liquid flows over the user's hand. The exit port of the flushing passages 122, 123, 124 then points obliquely sideways and downward, so that liquid that is urged out of the hair chamber does not spray far away from the shaver 101.